IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. National Phase of PCT/AU98/00769 of:

GLEN NORMAN DICKINS, et al.

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For: UTILIZATION OF FILTERING EFFECTS IN STEREO HEADPHONE

DEVICES

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 4, line 1, please delete "any previous claim" and substitute therefor

--claim 1--.

Claim 5, line 1, delete "any previous claim" and substitute therefor --claim 1--.

Claim 6, line 1, delete "any previous claim 1 to 4" and substitute therefor

--claim 1--.

Claim 24, line 1, delete "any of claims 20 to 23" and substitute therefor

--claim 20--.

Claim 26, line 1, delete "any previous claim" and substitute therefor

--claim 20--.

Claim 27, line 1, delete "any previous claim 20 to 26" and substitute therefor

--claim 20--.